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Appln No.: 10/696,636

Confirmation No. 5534

Filed: October 29, 2003

Applicant(s): AKASHE, et al.

Title: METHOD OF PREPARATION OF
HIGH QUALITY SOY-CONTAINING
CHEESE PRODUCTS

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TRANSMITTAL

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Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment/reply in the above-identified application.

- ☐ An Appendix including amended drawing figures labeled as "Annotated Marked-up Drawings" is enclosed.
- ☐ A Petition for Extension of Time for reply is attached.
- ☐ A Terminal Disclaimer(s) is enclosed together with a fee payment sheet.
- ☒ No additional claim fee is required.

Fee Calculation For Claims As Amended

	As Amended	Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Independent Claims	1	3	**= 0	x \$ 200.00 =	\$ 0.00
Total Claims	17	20	* = 0	x \$ 50.00 =	\$ 0.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent Claims				\$ 360.00	\$ 0.00
** At least 3				Total Additional Fee	\$ 0.00
* At least 20					

Amendment Transmittal 1-1204

Application No. 10/696,636
Amendment dated January 20, 2006

- ☐ Applicant(s) assert entitlement to Small Entity Status
(37 C.F.R. § 1.27), thus reducing the fee by half to: \$ 0.00
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Advisory Action dated December 7, 2005, and further to Applicants' Request for Continued Examination ("RCE") under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 filed December 14, 2005, please enter this amendment prior to issuance of next official action in the above-captioned application.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.